

## Please replace presently pending claims 1-24 with the following claims 1-24:

- 1. A method of treating multiple sclerosis (MS), including the step of administering to an individual a pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$ 
  - 2. The method of claim 1, when used as a treatment to prevent relapse of MS.
- 3. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein IFN- $\beta$  and cpn10 are administered together.
- (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein IFN-β and cpn10 are administered separately.
  - 5. The method of claim 3, wherein IFN- $\beta$  and cpn10 are administered by injection.
  - 6. The method of claim 4, wherein cpn10 is administered orally.
  - 7. (Amended) The method of claim 4, wherein IFN- $\beta$  is administered by injection.
- 8. (Amended) The process of claim 1, wherein the pharmaceutically effective amount of cpn10 and IFN-β comprises 5-60 mg of cpn10..
  - 9. The method of claim 8, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN-β comprises 10-30 mg of cpn10.
- 10. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$  comprises 1-10 Million International Units (MIU) of IFN- $\beta$ .

- 11. The method of claim 10, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN-β comprises 4-6 (MIU) of IFN-β.
- 12. A pharmaceutical composition for treating MS, said composition comprising a pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$  and a pharmaceutically-acceptable carrier or diluent.
- 13. The composition of claim 12, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN-β comprises 5-60 mg of cpn10.
- 14. The composition of claim 13, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN-β comprises 10-30 mg of cpn10.
- 15. The composition of claim 12, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN-β comprises 1-10 MIU of IFN-β.
- 16. The composition of claim 15, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$  comprises 4-6 MIU of IFN- $\beta$ .
- 17. A kit comprising a pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN-βand a pharmaceutically-acceptable carrier or diluent.
- 18. The kit of claim 17, wherein said IFN- $\beta$  is in dehydrated form, which in use, is rehydrated by said pharmaceutically-acceptable carrier or diluent.
- 19. The kit of claim 18, wherein said cpn10 is in dehydrated form and in use, is rehydrated by said pharmaceutically-acceptable carrier or diluent.
- 20. (Amended) The kit of claim 17, wherein said cpn10 is in tablet or capsule form.
  - 21. The kit of claim 17, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$  comprises 5-60 mg of cpn10.

- 22. The kit of claim 21, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$  comprises 10-30 mg of cpn10.
- 23. The kit of claim 17, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$  comprises 1-10 MIU of IFN- $\beta$ .
- 24. The kit of claim 23, wherein the pharmaceutically-effective amount of cpn10 and IFN- $\beta$  comprises 4-6 MIU of IFN- $\beta$ .